

2023-2024 TED SALMON C.M.B.C OPEN CHALLENGE PAIRS CONDITIONS OF PLAY

- Three bowl SETS PLAY
- Two sets of 9 ends plus a tie breaker if necessary (three ends)
- One rollup each way before first set only.
- No dead ends. Out of bounds jacks are to be placed on the "T".
- Result is determined by sets.
- Shared set counts as ½ point

FIRST SET

- Toss for the mat. Winner of the toss may give the mat away first end only.
- There must be no further play in a set, if it becomes impossible for a team to draw or win the set.

SECOND SET

- Winner of the first set must place the mat then deliver the jack and first bowl.
If the first set is a draw the winner of the last scoring end in that set must play first.

TIE BREAK

- If scores are level after two sets, a tie break will be played.
- Three ends all shots count.
- Toss for the mat. Winner of toss may give the mat away first end only.
- In the event scores being equal after three ends a fourth end will be played

EXTRA END (where required)

- Toss for the mat. Winner of toss may give the mat away.
- This continues until a team cannot tie or win.

RESTRICTING MOVEMENT OF PLAYERS

- **Walking to the Head**
Leads: after delivery of their second and third bowl.

Skips: after delivery of their second and third bowl.
- **Players Remaining at Head End**
Both Skips must cross to the mat end at the same time
(When it's the turn of the Skips to play)

UNABLE TO PLAY

- All matches are to be played under the Club's "play or forfeit" rule i.e., play on or before the due date. However, where circumstances prevail a bowler or team can request the game be played before the next scheduled round.
- Opposing skips must notify the Bowls Organiser of the agreed date and time.
If this is not done the game will be invalid.
- The Bowls Organiser or Match Committee shall confirm if green space is available and allocate the green and rink.
- If under any circumstances the game is not completed by the scheduled date (i.e., the next round) the player / team requesting the extension forfeits the game and notifies the Bowls Organiser.
- As teams are randomly selected any substitutes / replacements must be approved
By the Bowls Organiser / Match Committee.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

- Controlling body for the event is the match committee present.
- All decisions made by the controlling body regarding this competition shall be final.
- The controlling body shall have the right to change the conditions of play to ensure there is a finish to the event by a suitable date.
- This event is to be played to the rules and conditions of Bowls Australia and Bowls N.S.W except as decided by the controlling body.

